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INTERNATIONAL BANK

Chinese Indemnity Will Give It a Boost at the Start.

IT IS CHARTERED IN CONNECTICUT.

Branches Will Be Established in the Philippines—Reaching Out For Oriental and South America Business—Plans and Purposes.

New York, Jan. 2.—The plans of the International Banking corporation, which has been named by the president as repository for the portion of the Chinese indemnity due to the United States have been explained by General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the board of directors of the new corporation. He says that after the Philippine agency is established other branches will be instituted in the principal cities of the Philippines. The ultimate purpose is that the entire Orient and South and Central America shall be comprehended by the operations of the bank.

All is the natural outgrowth of the commercial and territorial expansion of the United States, continued Gen. Hubbard. Heretofore there has been no particular need in the United States for a banking institution doing an international business, but since the Spanish war and the tremendous trade of recent years with South America, and the promise of a constantly increasing commerce with China and the Orient the necessity for just such an institution as this has been developed.

Heretofore all the exchange with foreign countries has been handled by the banks of Berlin and London. There are a number of international banks in these cities. It will be the purpose of the international banking corporation to secure as much as possible of the exchange business heretofore handled by these foreign banks with which this country is concerned.

So far comparatively little has been done by the new bank, its charter by special enactment of the Connecticut legislature having been obtained only last June. General Hubbard said a branch would be established in New York city, although the bank here would not be for purpose of deposit, exchange alone being handled. This New York bank is to be a sort of clearing house for the various branches controlled by the main institution.

The reason why the charter was obtained in Connecticut, according to General Hubbard, is found in the fact that the laws of that state are unusually liberal to banking institutions.

PREFERRED STOCK RETIRED.

Northern Pacific Perfects Its Plans Preliminary to Merger Scheme.

New York, Jan. 2.—Formal notice was issued Thursday that in exercise of the power conferred upon it the Northern Pacific Railway company had retired its entire preferred stock. Each and every holder of a certificate for preferred stock not heretofore surrendered will, upon presentation and surrender of his certificate at the office of the company, No. 49 Wall street, receive payment in cash at par. Except as to this claim, all rights and claims of the preferred stockholders have ceased to exist.

Notice was also given by the Northern Pacific Railway company that it had elected to require the holder of every 4 per cent. convertible certificate of the company to convert the same into the common stock of the company at the rate of one share of \$100 for each \$100 of unpaid principal of the certificate and upon presentation and surrender of such certificate at the company's office the holder will be entitled to receive therefor common stock of the company at the rate aforesaid. No interest will accrue or be payable on any such certificate from and after January 1, 1902.

These notices showed that the capital stock of the company now consists of \$55,000,000 entirely in common stock, and that the bond certificates issued to provide for the retirement of the preferred stock would be retired immediately. The effect of this was to put what was formerly preferred stock on the same basis as the old common.

All of the Northern Pacific stock is to be taken over by the Northern Securities company, which will also acquire all of the stock of the Great Northern. The Northern Securities company will thus hold the stock certificates of the two companies, and under the settlement agreed upon between the contending interests for control in that field will administer the properties in its charge.

The belief in Wall street is general that the rapid retirement of Northern Pacific preferred stock, followed by the redemption of the bonds issued for its retirement, removed the obstacles in the way of carrying out the plan for the adjustment of difficulties

which grew out of the contest for control of the Northern Pacific last May. It was this contest and a sensational rise of Northern Pacific common to \$1,000 a share which brought about the sensational decline in the prices of other securities May 9.

CAUGHT IN A GRIP.

Committee in Charge of Property of Everett-Moore Syndicate.

Cleveland, Jan. 2.—A committee of Cleveland bankers has taken charge of the various properties controlled by the Everett-Moore Electric railway syndicate.

A statement issued by the committee says that on account of tight money situation in different quarters where they were financing some of their enterprises, and although in their opinion they owned several million dollars worth of property over and above liabilities, they would be unable without temporary assistance to meet their obligations. Many of these obligations arose from the fact that the syndicate was engaged in the construction of a number of enterprises which were not fully completed, requiring large amounts of money to pay for labor and materials in construction. The syndicate was also recently disappointed in being unable to complete the negotiations for raising a large sum of money on certain bonds and stocks which would have furnished ready funds, and which negotiations it had reason to believe, until 10 days ago, would result favorably. So far as the personal affairs of the members of the syndicate are concerned their equities are largely in excess of liabilities, and it is claimed all the personal creditors can be paid without doubt from assets, and several hundred thousand dollars put into completing the properties.

In Cleveland upwards of 30 banks are creditors and these banks hold the choicest of the securities and the most equities.

Messrs. Everett & Moore stated that they were perfectly willing to turn all of their matters and properties over to a committee that should be appointed to handle them in connection with themselves to preserve the most equities, with the belief that when their properties were developed and creditors paid there would be a substantial amount to return to them.

The personnel of the committee is as follows: R. R. Newcomb, chairman; Myron T. Herrick, J. J. Sullivan, Calvary Morris, Kaufman Fays, E. G. Tiltonson secretary, and W. C. Mather.

Following are the most valuable properties of the syndicate: Cleveland Electric Railway company; Detroit United Railroad company; Cleveland, Palmsville & Eastern Railroad company; Detroit & Toledo Shore Line Railroad company; Lake Shore Electric Railway company and Northern Ohio Traction company. All these properties were found, hardly without exception, in good condition, perfectly solvent and in nowise embarrassed. Among the telephone properties are the United States Long Distance Telephone company, the Cuyahoga Telephone company of Cleveland, the Stark County (O.) Telephone company, the Peoples Telephone company of Detroit, and numerous others.

Currency Statement.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The monthly circulation statement of the comptroller of currency shows that at the close of the year 1901 the circulation of national bank notes was \$360,289,726, an increase as compared with December 31, 1900, of \$20,148,551, and an increase for the month of \$569,015. The circulation based on United States bonds amounted to \$325,009,306, an increase for the year of \$16,714,632, and a decrease for the month of \$1,202,880. The circulation secured by lawful money amounted to \$35,280,420, an increase for the year of \$3,433,919, and an increase for the month of \$1,771,895. The amount of United States registered bonds on deposit to secure circulating notes was \$326,280,280, and to secure public deposits \$110,444,640.

Failures During Past Year.

New York, Jan. 2.—Reports to R. G. Dun & Company show that failures for the year 1901 were 11,002 in number and \$113,092,376 in amount of liabilities, while of banking and other fiduciary institutions, there were 74 insolvencies, involving \$18,018,774, a total of 11,076 defaults and \$131,111,150 liabilities. These figures compare very favorably with the 10,833 failures in 1900 with liabilities of \$174,123,236, of which 49 were banks for \$25,617,563. Manufacturing disasters in 1901 numbered 2,441 with an indebtedness of \$44,960,983, compared with 2,409 in the previous year owing \$31,702,142, while there were 7,965 suspensions of traders for \$52,060,640, against 7,844 in 1900 with liabilities of \$59,415,592.

Hunter Accidentally Killed.

Louisville, Jan. 2.—William Goddard, prominent young business man, was killed while hunting at Greenburg, Ky., by the accidental discharge of his shotgun, which he was cleaning.

PALMA IS PRESIDENT

Chosen to Be First Chief Executive of the Cuban Republic.

HE ACCEPTS THE HONOR MODESTLY.

Sterling Cuban Patriot Receives a Shower of Congratulations From His Countrymen—He Was First Choice of General Gomez.

New York, Jan. 2.—General Tomas Estrada Palma, the newly-elected president of Cuba, has received many dispatches and telegrams of felicitation from various parts of Cuba and this country.

Senor Emilio Bacardi, mayor of Santiago, cabled in the name of the municipal council: "I, with the president, wish you a happy New Year and all pleased to greet you as the first magistrate of the Cuban republic."

A dispatch from Dr. D. M. Satalos at Havana, a veteran of the 10 years' war in Cuba, sent a message of congratulation. From Nuevitas, province of Puerto Principe, Miguel Roura sent the following dispatch:

"Happy New Year. Triumph in Nuevitas. Hundred congratulations."

Senor Joaquin Fortun, brother-in-law of the late Jose Marti, said in a



message from Mexico City: "I am particularly delighted at your success as I was one of the first to advise your candidacy. I am pleased, too, because you have been an immaculate patriot all your life."

General Palma was particularly pleased with a cable message from Libarra, Santiago province, which is his native state. This dispatch read: "Oriental patriots salute you as the first president of Cuba."

Emilio Agramonte telegraphed this from New York: "Hurrah for the honorable president of our country in whose hands its prosperity and happiness will be safe."

The Cuban president-elect was as reticent as ever regarding the policy of his administration. He said in an interview: "I have not had the least ambition to fill any public office; in fact, I all along refused to allow my name to be put forward as a presidential candidate. I am disappointed that there should have been any dissatisfaction over the election. I consented to the use of my name only at the last minute, when it was too late to withdraw. But I thought that absolute harmony prevailed, and that General Maceo had consented to accept the vice presidency. I really would have preferred to have been allowed to stay out of politics and attend to my private affairs."

Senor Palma has been a resident of the United States about 18 years, and during the war which resulted in routing the Spaniards from Cuba he was at the head of the Cuban junta in New York. He was regarded as the guiding spirit in that struggle, co-operating with General Gomez, the Cuban commander-in-chief in the field. General Gomez, often called the Washington of Cuba, might have been the first president of the new republic, but it was not his ambition and he came to the United States some months ago to persuade Senor Palma to stand for the presidency.

Sampson's Condition Serious.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Admiral Sampson's malady progresses slowly but very steadily toward the end. Medical science cannot check it. Symptoms of arterial degeneration have appeared, such as are incident to his malady, injecting great uncertainty into the case. Moreover, the patient is becoming less tractable and responsive to treatment.

Was the Oldest Odd Fellow.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Jan. 2.—James Davidson, the oldest Odd Fellow in the United States, is dead here. He was born in West Virginia 89 years ago, and became a member of Franklin lodge at Wheeling June 17, 1838.

NIHILIST OUTRAGE.

Bomb Exploded at the Palace of the Grand Duke Constantine.

Paris, Jan. 2.—A dispatch from Kiev, European Russia, says a bomb was exploded Wednesday night under the balcony of the palace of the Grand Duke Constantine. The explosion occurred at a moment when the salons were thronged with guests. A great panic followed, but nobody was injured, though the damage done was considerable. All the windows near the scene of the explosion were shattered. Nihilist students are suspected of committing the outrage, and 15 students have been arrested.

The Grand Duke Constantine is a son of the late Grand Duke Constantine, who was the brother of Emperor Alexander. One of the present Grand Duke Constantine's sisters is the Queen of Greece. The grand duke is president of the Imperial Academy of Sciences, aide-de-camp general and chief of the military schools of Russia.

Nunn Resigned.

Washington, Jan. 2.—David A. Nunn, whose resignation as collector of internal revenue of the fifth Tennessee district was called for by the president a few days ago, handed his resignation to the president in person. He was accompanied to the White House by Representative Gibson of Tennessee. Mr. Nunn was appointed collector at the beginning of the McKinley administration. Soon after he was installed the removal of Democratic employees led to charges of violation of the civil service law. These charges, which remained dormant several years, were recently revived and precipitated the call for his resignation. It is understood that ex-Representative John McCall will be appointed to succeed Mr. Nunn. It also is understood that the re-appointment of Postmaster W. A. Willis of Nashville has been decided.

Rear Admiral Roe Buried.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Impressive funeral services were held Thursday at St. John's Episcopal church over the late Rear Admiral Francis A. Roe, U. S. N., retired. Among the officiating clergymen was Rev. William Taylor Snyder, a nephew of the deceased. The remains were escorted to Arlington cemetery by a detachment of marines commanded by Lieutenant Colonel R. R. Russell, headed by the full marine band. The pall bearers were eight sailors, the honorary pall bearers being Rear Admirals Green, Schley, Weaver, Ludlow and Watson, Captains Sigbee and Bartlett, and Frank Hackett, former assistant secretary of the navy.

Wakefield's Troubles.

South Framingham, Mass., Jan. 2.—A warrant was secured from the district court here charging perjury against William C. Wakefield, the young promoter of large financial enterprises who is in jail at Cambridge. The instrument was issued on complaint that Wakefield, as treasurer of the International Copper Syndicate, swore falsely to returns made to the commissioner of corporations as to the capital stock of the concern. The warrant will be served on him just as soon as an attempt is made to secure his release on bail from the charge of larceny, for he was arrested on his arrival from London before Christmas.

Chief of Postmaster Foundry.

Washington, Jan. 2.—W. R. Spelman, of Maahattan, Kan., formerly private secretary to Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, has been appointed chief of the appointment division of the latter's office. This division has charge of the appointments of all the postmasters in the United States. Carter B. Keene of Freedom, Maine, formerly chief of the appointment division, has been appointed postoffice inspector.

Gov. Crane's Third Term.

Boston, Jan. 2.—W. Murray Crane took the oath of office Thursday as governor of Massachusetts for his third term. The attendance at the state house was the largest assembled for a similar occasion in many years. The inaugural address treated of state matters exclusively. One of the principal recommendations of the governor was the appropriation of \$5,000,000 for carrying on the work of abolishing grade crossings, the money to be expended at the rate of \$500,000 a year.

Accidentally Poisoned.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 2.—Miss Beulah Wheeler, 22, a beautiful young society woman, died at her home on Second avenue from arsenical poisoning. Wednesday evening she retired to her room to rest before starting for the theater. Soon afterward Miss Wheeler called to her mother for aid and said she had taken the wrong medicine. What the young woman had taken for anti-pyrene proved to be arsenic. Physicians were immediately summoned. Despite their treatment Miss Wheeler died Thursday. She was born in Rome, N. Y.

A LOCOMOTIVE LET GO.

Five Men Killed Outright and Others Were Seriously Injured.

VICTIMS WERE HORRIBLY MANGLED.

Frightful Catastrophe in Shops of Georgia Central at Macon—Trains Wrecked and Other Railway Mishaps Causing Loss of Life.

Macon, Ga., Jan. 2.—The boiler of a locomotive on the Georgia Central railway exploded at the shops in this city, killing five men outright and badly injuring 11 others, three of whom will probably die.

The dead are: John M. McDonald, machinist, Tosh Hodges, engineer, and James O'Neill, white; Urish Cornelius, a colored helper, and one unidentified. The heads of two of the victims were blown 100 feet from the hodies.

The explosion wrecked the roundhouse in which the engine was standing. A negro painting the top of the roundhouse was blown 100 yards, his body being reduced to an unrecognizable mass. Henry Fox, a machinist, was fatally injured. Alderman L. Willis, who was passing at the time, was severely injured.

The explosion also wrecked three locomotives that were in the building.

The shock broke every window in a building at the corner of Poplar and Fifth streets, five blocks from where the explosion occurred.

Train Wrecked and Burned.

Pittsburg, Jan. 2.—The through passenger train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad was wrecked at Glencoe, Pa. Two men were killed, and of the 17 injured five were seriously hurt. The dead are: Engineer John Collins and Fireman McCune of Connelville, Pa. Seriously injured: D. J. Partella, mail clerk, Washington, D. C.; William Avery, a Baltimore & Ohio engineer; C. A. Young, mail clerk, Hagerstown, Md.; G. W. Rynn, Baltimore; R. R. Souser, Napier, Pa. The engine jumped the track and the entire train derailed. Probably the only thing that prevented a wholesale death list was the fact that the heavy vestibule cars did not break up in going over the embankment. The work to rescue the injured had to be done quickly, because the gas tanks in the cars were exploded and set fire to the wreckage. The flames spread rapidly and in a short time the entire train was burned.

Freight Trains Collide.

Kelthville, Ia., Jan. 2.—Freight trains on the Texas Pacific collided at this place and Fireman W. J. Daniels of Houston and Jas. Kane, hostler, were killed. George Arnold, race horse valued at \$20,000, was killed and several other race horses were injured. The horses belonged to J. W. Fuller of Mills Point, Tex., and were on the way home from the winter meeting at New Orleans. Twelve cars burned.

Murder, Suicide and Wreck.

Knitplel, Mont., Jan. 2.—At Jennings Patrick Sullivan, a miner, shot and wounded his wife, who runs the section house there, killed his grandchild and himself. A special train with physicians was despatched to Jennings, and on the way the engine jumped the track killing Engineer Herron and seriously injuring Fireman Wilcox.

Party Struck by Street Car.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Five persons were seriously injured, one fatally, in a collision between a carriage and a lighted street electric car at Fifty-third street. The surrey, which was demolished, was occupied by Samuel Fuller, his wife and four children. All suffered broken bones and bruises and little Helen Fuller was crushed so badly that she can not recover.

Hotel and Theater Threatened.

New York, Jan. 2.—The Mortua house and Keith's theater at Union square and Fourteenth street were threatened with destruction by fire. Fully 100 frightened patrons of the hotel were forced by smoke to make hasty exit from their rooms, and 22 firemen were overcome by smoke. Loss estimated at \$30,000. The hotel and theater are in the same building. The fire was confined to the lower part of the hotel. The theater was not damaged.

Richardson and Roosevelt.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Congressman Richardson (Tenn.), the minority leader of the house, personally presented the president a set of his compilations of the messages and papers of the presidents of the United States. In making the presentation, Mr. Richardson laughingly asked the president to read carefully the constitution and declaration of independence. The president took the suggestion good-naturedly and replied that he would.

THE BEE HIVE

One vote for each 25c when paying 1901 bills. Hundreds of votes were cast the first day. The big Doll is a beauty.



THE ROYAL UNDERGARMENTS
Corset Cover, worth 20c.
sale price 9c. "Nuff said."

MERZ BROS.' FIRST SALE OF

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Begins Saturday, Jan. 4th, when we will place on sale a stock of new and up-to-date Underwear, larger than all the stores of Mason and Fleming counties combined, at prices that would startle the largest dealers in the country. This sale is composed of "Royal" undergarments only, made in the largest and best equipped factory in the world, each and every garment is officially labeled by the National Women's Consumer's League, showing that they have been inspected and made under clean and healthful conditions.

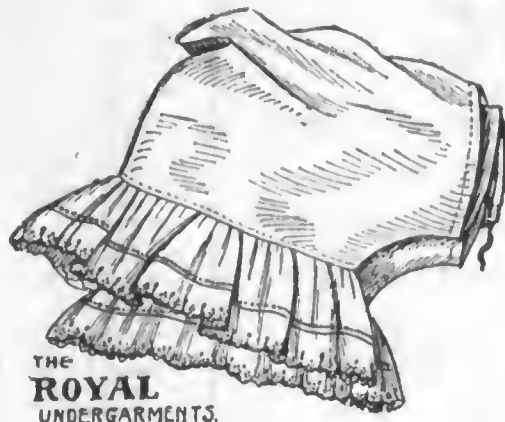
We want you to make this your underwear store. This first great sale will abound with reasons why you should. Corset Covers, 9c. up. Skirts, 58c. up. Drawers, 20c. up. Night Robes, 40c. up. Chemises, 29c. up.



THE ROYAL UNDERGARMENTS
Cambric low neck, lace and insertion,
yoke lapels. Price \$1.59, worth \$2.



THE ROYAL UNDERGARMENTS
Muslin, embroidered yoke, tucked ruffle,
Price 85c., worth 60c.



THE ROYAL UNDERGARMENTS
Good muslin, hemstitched ruffle.
Price 29c., worth 48c.

MERZ BROS.

KINGS OF LOW PRICES

PROP'S OF BEE HIVE.

COMING TOBACCO FAIR.

The L. and N. Grants Rate of One Fare For Round Trip and Will Send Out Special Trains.

Mr. E. H. Binzel, local agent of the L. and N. railroad, is in receipt of the following from T. D. Bush, Division Passenger Agent, which is self-explanatory:

Dear Sir: In answer to yours of 30th in reference to the third annual tobacco fair at Maysville, I beg to advise that we will arrange to sell tickets to Maysville and return at rate of one fare from Lexington, Richmond, Paris and intermediate points on Feb. 21st and morning train of the 2nd, limited for return until the 24th.

Will provide extra coaches on train No. 10, and arrange for a special train to leave Maysville about 5 or 5:30 p. m. for Paris. We will get out a flyer advertising the train.

At Valley Forge.

"At Valley Forge," which will be the offering at the opera house Thursday, January 9th, should be of exceptional interest, as the scenes are laid in the so-called colonial period of our history. It is a well constructed drama, replete with comedy, interspersed with a series of striking and powerful climaxes. The subject is a most interesting one serving as it does to bring down from the past an atmosphere of realism, the times and deeds of our ancestors. The quaintness of the stage settings lend additional charm to the performance in their completeness. The cast is also highly praised as being one of unusual strength. Mr. Wm. L. Roberts and Miss Olive Martin will be seen in the feature roles.

Carlisle Mercury: "Miss Alice Cummins suffered a fracture of one of her limbs Wednesday. A horse hitched to her buggy choked down, and in getting up he fell upon her."

Clearance sale of lamps at Schatzman's.

A. C. Campbell, of Ashland, is an applicant for the position of Clerk of the U. S. court.

It is said that figs bound on the affected parts over night are a never failing remedy for frost-bitten feet.

You clerks and mechanics, don't you want to cut coupons? Then begin by taking stock in the Mason County.

The quarterly report of Mitchell, Finch & Co.'s Bank shows individual deposits of \$131,244 57 and undivided profits of nearly \$2,000.

Mr. Jett, agent for a large western house, is buying tobacco in the county. He bought several crops in the Washington neighborhood.

John C. Adamson offers privately a desirable residence on West Second street. It has all modern conveniences. Will give some one a bargain.

Carlisle parties who invested some time ago in coal and timber lands in Johnson and Pike counties, have sold their interests at a big profit.

We have carried over a large stock of toilet goods, such as cloth and hair brushes, mirrors, puff boxes and a large stock of manicure pieces. We will now offer them at cost.

P. J. MURPHY, the jeweler.

If you want to purchase the purest and best goods on earth go to G. W. Rogers & Co., 127 Market street, where you will find old Bourbon and rye whisky, apple and peach brandy, California brandy, malt gin, California port, sherry and Maderia, K. I. sweet Catawba and dry Catawba wines &c. We guarantee all of our goods to be strictly pure.

Mr. S. P. Ham is very ill at his home at Washington.

Mr. E. P. O'Donnell has qualified as County Attorney for ensuing term.

J. G. Osborne qualified Thursday as Constable of Magisterial district No. 3, with T. J. Pickett as surety.

Called meeting to-night at 7 o'clock of the Haymakers. Important business and all are urged to be present.

There will be services at the Central Presbyterian Church to-night at 7 o'clock preparatory to communion next Sunday.

Governor Beckham will recommend that the per capita allowance for support of inmates of the State Reform School be increased. It is now \$75 a year.

Henry L. Wilson, seventy, was stricken with paralysis at Mt. Olivet and his condition is considered serious. Wilson served Robertson County as Sheriff and has been County Treasurer for nearly twenty years.

O. H. P. Thomas & Co., Nos. 120 to 124 Market street, Maysville, Ky., sell Old Time Bourbon and Maysville Club Rye, direct from the distillery, by the quart, gallon or barrel; the finest in the State; guaranteed pure and as represented as to age.

THE H. E. FOGUE DISTILLERY CO.

Washington Opera House.

ONE NIGHT.

Thursday, January 9th,

D. E. Lester & Co.'s Immense production of Wm. L. Roberts' Picturesque Colonial Drama

AT VALLEY FORGE.

A play of intense interest, stupendous scenic production, cast of unequalled excellence. Prices—25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Miss Harriet Johnson is ill at the home of her mother.

Save your money and buy you a farm by taking stock in the Mason County.

Mr. Dudley Martin has resigned his position as clerk at St. Charles Hotel, Vanceburg.

Ex-Congressman Pugh has been re-elected Superintendent of the Christian Church Sunday school of Vanceburg.

The Auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. meets with Mrs. Jos. F. Perrie Saturday, Jan. 4th, at 2:30 p. m. A full attendance desired.

Jason McDermed, ninety-one, a pioneer merchant of Manchester, was buried there Wednesday by the Masons. He died at the Masonic Home, Springfield.

The most beautiful line of novelties in jewelry ever shown in Maysville can now be found at Ballenger's for the holiday trade. In making Christmas gifts, select something useful as well as attractive.

A residence belonging to John Sheckner, at Slickaway, back of Aberdeen, burned, with the contents. Loss, \$2,000, with no insurance. Sheckner is seriously ill. He was carried out of the house on a bed and brought to Aberdeen, where he has relatives.

Mr. Dulin Moss has executed bond in the sum of \$10,000 as Secretary of the Safety Investment Company, with the Fidelity Guarantee Company of Baltimore as his surety. Judge Phister has been reelected President and Judge Mat Walton, of Lexington, Vice President of the company.

30 Per Cent. Off!

30 Per Cent. Off!

GREAT Clearance SALE

OF

CLOTHING

HATS AND MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS.

Over three hundred men's and young men's sample Suits which were shown throughout the United States by our traveling salesmen have been shipped to us, and are on sale at actually 30 per cent. off the former prices. No one can show you merchandise more swell. The most lasting fabrics in all the new shades can be found in the lot.

We are compelled to make room for the enormous purchases which have been made for spring. A reduction sale, with goods marked in plain figures, is the only remedy.

BUY YOUR SPRING SUIT OF US!

Messrs. Roger Peak and Garson Meyers celebrated lines will be shown at our store. Every pattern will be most carefully selected and every style will be represented. Besides the above line we will have over seven hundred samples from our factory, from which we will make you a Suit in our Custom Department and save you dollars.

THE FAVORITE CLOTHING STORE,

Second Street, Opposite Bank of Maysville.

J. M. THORNTON, Manager.

AS WE RUMMAGE THROUGH OUR STOCK

We unearth a pair of Shoes here and a pair there which tell of great events that have gone before—big sales preceding the holidays when many pairs of Shoes were sold in a very short time—the tag end of 1901's big lines, now broken in sizes and

Ready to Go at Almost any Price!

We've placed these on a "cheap-table," but would rather see 'em on your feet. General reductions have also been made on other lines. See our show window for some of the biggest Shoe bargains of the season.

BARKLEY'S!



WE RING OUT THE OLD YEAR

With the satisfaction of knowing that we have served our patrons to the best of our ability, and if we are to judge from the compliments of the past our efforts have not been in vain.

1902

it will be our aim and ambition to serve you still better, and to further establish this store as the leading distributor of reliable Hardware in this section.

FRANK OWENS... HARDWARE CO...

Christmas Novelties at Cost
Until the Tenth of January, 1902.

J. T. Kackley & Co.

A SHIRT TALE

We have too many and want to unload. Our price this week for \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shirts, **68c.**

See our Market Street window.

J. WESLEY LEE,

THE KORREKT KLOTHIER.

Washington Opera House!

—ONE NIGHT—

MONDAY, JAN. 6.

Just to make you laugh, that's all, Charles E. Schilling presents

TWO MARRIED MEN

By GEO. R. EDESON.

All new specialties. Special scenery. Clever Comedians. Pretty Girls. The laughing hit of three seasons.

PRICES, 25, 35 and 50c.

City Taxes!

...1901...

By special order of City Council, the penalty will be refunded on all paid by January 6th, 1902.

JAMES W. FITZGERALD,
CITY TREASURER.

WE HAVE A LARGE LINE OF

FINE PICTURES

at the lowest prices. Picture Framing a specialty.

RYDER & QUAINANCE,

121 Sutton Street. Drop in and get a Calendar.

License Notice.

All licenses expire on December 31st and become due on January 1st of each year as follows, with penalty attached for non compliance:

Dogs	\$ 1.00
Auctioneers	5.00
Billiard, Pool and Fire-on-hole Tables	25.00
Bowling and Ten-pin Alleys	25.00
Shooting Gallery	30.00
Life and Fire Insurance Agents	100.00
Plate Glass and Accident Insurance Agents	20.00
Tornado Insurance Agents	10.00
Circus and Menageries, per day	25.00
Lectures, Operas, Concerts and Plays	3.00
Opera Houses	100.00
Public Dancehouses, per year	20.00
Dances, per night	5.00
Skating Rinks, Merry-go rounds, &c., per day	2.00
Wholesale Liquor Dealers	50.00
Agency for Wholesale Liquors	50.00
Bar-room	200.00
Druggists	50.00
Merchants, retail, temporary residents, itinerant peddlers	150.00
per day	5.00
Peddling from one-horse wagon	4.00
Peddling from two-horse wagon	5.00
Foot Peddler, stock of less than \$25, per day	2.00
Foot Peddler, stock of \$25, per day	2.00
Storage of Petroleum and other Oils, exceeding five barrels	10.00
Petroleum, selling from one-horse wagon either at wholesale or retail, to merchant or consumers	50.00
Petroleum, selling from two-horse wagon	50.00
Cart or Dray	3.00
One-horse wagon	3.00
Two-horse wagon	5.00
Four-horse wagon	5.00
Astrologers and Fortune Tellers, per day	5.00
Bill Posters	5.00
Boarding-houses, public	10.00
Bowie-knives, Stung Shots, Brass Knives and Dirk-knives	50.00
Brokers	10.00
Cigarettes	20.00
Eating-houses	10.00
Hotels	10.00
Junk Shops	10.00
Laundries	20.00
Livery Stables	25.00
Lunch Stands	10.00
Pistols	5.00
Playing-cards	5.00
Real Estate Agents	10.00
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ITEMS OF INTEREST

Contributed by the Bulletin's Corps of Country Correspondents—Paragraphs Personal and Otherwise.

ORANGEBURG, Jan. 2nd.—Miss Mayme Heflin has returned to Cincinnati where she is attending college, after spending a pleasant Christmas week at home.

Miss Naunie Kennan and sister are visiting relatives in Fleming county.

Mrs. Lot Coryell gave a turkey dinner to friends Wednesday.

Stockton Ross, the popular clerk at Sedden's store, is on the sick list.

The colored Methodist Church people had a Christmas tree and oyster supper New Year's night.

Mrs. Ella Cooper is able to be about again but still feeble and much reduced from her recent illness.

Harry Cooper is clerk pro tem at Sedden's store.

George Kennan went to Cincinnati with stock New Year's Day.

Rev. Ralph Gebbie, late minister of the Christian Church here, preached his farewell sermon Sunday evening last prior to his departure for St. Johns, New Brunswick. The church was crowded at both the afternoon and evening services by his many friends to bid him farewell and God speed on his journey to his new location. A feature of the evening meeting was a touching song entitled "Goodbye," which was very nicely rendered by the Misses Farrow. Rev. Clark is the new minister who will succeed Rev. Gebbie.

MAYSVILLE, Jan. 2d.—Miss Charity Killgore, of Wedonia, spent the holidays with her mother. Miss Killgore resumed her school duties last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Comer entertained with progressive euchre at their handsome home, "Mason Heights," near Maysville, last Thursday night in

honor of Mrs. Comer's sisters, Misses Sallie and Emma Hickey, of this place. About fifty guests were present and thoroughly enjoyed the evening. All joined in pronouncing Mr. and Mrs. Comer an ideal host and hostess.

Miss Elizabeth L. Mitchell, student of Hamilton College, Lexington, has been spending the holidays with her parents.

Col. Bain lectured at the Christian Church Tuesday night. A good crowd was in attendance and seemed well pleased with the lecture.

Miss Ella Hackett, of Cincinnati, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Collopy.

John Fyles, of the M. M. I., Millersburg, was the guest of his parents during the holidays.

Ios. Archdeacon and sister return to their schools in Kansas and Cincinnati Friday after enjoying the holidays with their mother.

Miss Mary Buckley, of Murphysville, is spending a few days with Miss Hannah D. Collins, of Millersburg, and Mrs. Ryan, of this place.

Mr. Tamme, of Paris, was the guest of friends here the past week.

The Misses O'Neill were pleasant visitors of Mrs. James Slattery the first of the week.

Miss Sallie Riley, of Chicago University, spent her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Will Roberson, James Fischer and Miss Ryan, of Flemingsburg, spent Sunday here.

Miss Lyle Hitchison is spending a few days with Miss Inez Worthington, of "Elm Lane."

Miss Alma Hopper is convalescing.

No new cases of scarlet fever are reported.

Prof. Chandler is the guest of his mother at Mt. Olivet for a few days.

Hon. A. P. Gooding has returned from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Lydiek, of Cincinnati.

John Thornton, of Maysville, spent Sunday here.

The funeral ceremonies of Collins Blatterman will take place in the asylum of Maysville Commandery No. 10, K. T., at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The public invited.

Ringgold Lodge No. 27, I. O. O. F., has installed the following officers:

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V. G.—M. B. Clark.

Secretary—S. Nelson.

Treasurer—James Barbour.

R. S. N. G.—W. E. Stalcup.

L. S. N. G.—B. B. Allen.

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